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SUBJECT: US-USSR ENVIRONMENTAL AGREEMENT: PROJECT I-3.1;
TRANSPORTATION SOURCE AIR POLLUTION CONTROL TECHNOLOGY

1. REQUEST EMBASSY PASS FOLLOWING MESSAGE FROM ERIC STORK
TO DR. YURIY N. DROZDOV, DIRECTOR, CENTRAL RESEARCH LABORA-
TORY OF ENGINES TOXICITY (NILTD), MINISTRY OF TRACTOR AND
AGRICULTURAL MACHINE BUILDING, SOLNECHNOGORSKAYAY, MOSCOW
A-413 WITH COPY TO KUVSHINNIKOV OF HYDROMET:

2. "DEAR DR. DROZDOV: IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE AGREEMENTS
MADE IN OUR DECEMBER 1974 PROJECT MEETING, WE WOULD LIKE
TO INVITE A DELEGATION OF 5 TO 6 SOVIET SPECIALISTS TO
VISIT THE USA FROM APRIL 25 TO MAY 4, 1975. WE SUGGEST
THAT YOUR DELEGATION ARRIVE IN WASHINGTON, D.C. ON APRIL 25
AND PLAN TO DEPART FROM NEW YORK CITY ON THE EVENING OF
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MAY 4.

WE WISH TO DISCUSS THE FOLLOWING TOPICS AT EPA LABORATORIES AND AT SEVERAL AUTOMOBILE AND PETROLEUM COMPANY LABORATORIES DURING YOUR VISIT;

- 1) FURTHER INFORMATION ON THE FLAME REACTION WORK AND METHODOLOGY OF MEASUREMENT DESCRIBED BY DR. SVIRIDOV.
- 2) THE ANALYTICAL METHODS FOR ANALYSIS AND THE HEALTH EFFECTS OF BENZO-A-PYRENE.
- 3) SULFATE EMISSIONS ASSOCIATED WITH CATALYST USAGE.
- 4) CURRENT STATUS OF EMISSION REGULATIONS IN BOTH COUNTRIES.
- 5) EFFECTS OF AMBIENT TEMPERATURES ON EMISSIONS.
- 6) EMISSION OF DIESEL ENGINES.
- 7) NON-CATALYST CONTROL TECHNOLOGY.
- 8) BASE METAL CATALYSTS.
- 9) HYDROGEN AND OTHER ALTERNATIVE FUELS.
- 10) CURRENT INTERNATIONAL ACTIVITIES FOR UNIFICATION OF TEST PROCEDURES.
- 11) ANY FURTHER TOPICS YOU MAY WISH TO SUGGEST.

PLEASE CONFIRM YOUR AGREEMENT TO THIS PROPOSAL AND IDENTIFY YOUR DELEGATION AS SOON AS CONVENIENT. WE LOOK FORWARD TO YOUR VISIT WITH GREAT PLEASURE AND ANTICIPATION. SINCERELY, ERIC O. STORK, DEPUTY ASSISTANT ADMINISTRATOR FOR MOBILE SOURCE AIR POLLUTION CONTROL"
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